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#### REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION

Applicant

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#### **Mail Stop RCE**

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

#### Dear Sir:

This Request for Continued Examination (RCE) is being made as follows:

- 1. Submission Required under 37 CFR 1.114:
  - (X) Enclosed:
    - (X) Amendment/Reply in 15 pages.

#### 2. Fees:

The present application qualifies for Small Entity Status under 37 CFR 1.27.

FEE CALCULATION					
FEE TYPE			FEE CODE	CALCULATION	TOTAL
RCE Fee			2801 (\$395)		\$395
Total Claims	34 - 77	= 0	2202 (\$25)	0 x 25 =	\$0
Independent Claims	2 - 11	= 0	2201 (\$100)	0 x 100 =	\$0
1 Month Extension			2251 (\$60)		\$60
				TOTAL FEE DUE	\$455

(X) An extension of time is hereby requested by payment of the appropriate fee indicated above.

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### 3. Payment:

(X) The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the above-itemized fees, including any fees for additional extension of time, to Deposit Account Number 11-1410.

Respectfully submitted,

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Dated: June 18, 2007

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